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Applicant: TANAKA et al. Examiner: Davis, D.
Serial No.: 09/049,861 Group Art Unit: 2652
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(HITG.013US01)
Allowed: January 24, 2005
Title: DISK DRIVE DISK WITH LANDING ZONE HAVING TEXTURED AND
UNTEXTURED REGIONS

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this communication is being deposited in the United States Postal Service, as first class mail, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on May 27, 2005.

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**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT
ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b)**

MAIL STOP PETITION
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

Petitioner hereby petitions for the reinstatement of the above-identified patent application under allowance, which was unintentionally abandoned.

In a general inquiry to the United States Patent and Trademark Office regarding the issue fee payment, it was discovered that the Issue Fee payment did not clear the deposit account.

Petitioner avers that the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to this paragraph was unintentional.

Please charge Deposit Account 50-2587 (JA996088) in the amount of \$1,500.00, the large-entity Petition fee as set forth in §1.17(m); authorization is given to charge additional requisite fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0996 (HITG.013US01) to complete this filing. Please charge Deposit Account 50-2587 (JA996088) in the amount of \$1,403.00 (\$1400.00 for the Issue Fee and \$3.00 for the patent copy fee).

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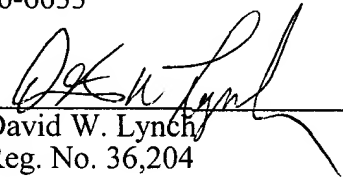
Petitioner respectfully requests that favorable consideration be afforded this Petition for Revival of an Unintentionally-Abandoned Application, and that Patent Application Serial Number 09/049,861 be revived.

If a telephone conference would be helpful in resolving any issues relating to this matter, please call the undersigned at 651/686-6633.

Respectfully submitted,

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